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U.F.A. BROADCASTS

The U.F.A. is planning a series of broadcasts over CFMN on October 17, 24th and 31st at 8:45 to 9 p.m. Some of the many achievements of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture and the U.F.A. will be discussed, and information given will be of interest to all rural people.

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FRIDAY

SATURDAY

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LOCAL NEWS

Don't forget the picture show in the U.F.A. hall on Saturday evening.

A few farmers east of here are about done their threshing but there is still plenty left in the west to do.

Mrs. R. Arnott underwent an operation at the Holy Cross hospital and is expected home this week.

Dick Roe, son of Rev. J. M. Roe of the Anglican church, ran third in the steeple chase race in Calgary on Thanksgiving day.

We learn that Dick Sterling of Carstairs has purchased the Real Service station from J. R. Gilchrist.

Harry May is a delegate representing the village council at the convention of the Union of Alberta municipalities being held in Edmonton this week.

Ernie Walroth loaded a car of settlers effects on Monday and is now on his way to his new home in the north. The community wish Ernie and Margaret all the best in their venture.

For those who like a change there is a treat in store prior to the picture show on Saturday October 26th. In addition to the starring comedy "Out of this World" starring Bing Crosby, Eddie Bracken, and Veronica Lake, Miss Margaret Robinson (of CFMN) "Music with Marg" and her Three Jills will open the evening with 40 minutes of fun, music and song. This group which was very active in Calgary for service club entertainment, toured R.C.A.F. Establishments in the north. So come all and come early on the 26th. Concert starts at 8:30 sharp, followed by the regular show. Stage on Sunday has again put a stop to harvest operations and it will be a considerable time before any more will be done.

WHAT'S YOUR ANGLE? (By Reworth)

On every hand we hear complaints of things that are and things that ain't, but what in the world are we going to do if each one nurses a different view and contends we must do this or that or the world is through, and then again we have this spending craze to empty your purse and shorten your days, for over-indulgence is as bad as famine, so it's now high time

ALASKA HIGHWAY



Dozens of shops of every description have sprung up on Whitehorse's "Broadway." The town boasts a population of 40,000 during the war. Now it's 3,000. Rationing in any manner, shape or form is unknown here. Whitehorse will be one of the attractions for tourists when the Alaska highway is opened for traffic.

Ration News

Meat Coupons Q1 to Q4 in the No. 5 ration book and M51 to M55 in the new book and butter coupons R18 to R21 in the old book and R26 to R28 in the new, will become invalid for the purchase of these commodities after October 31. The Ration administration of the War-time Prices and Trade Board announced today.

At the same time all temporary ration coupons for butter, meat and sugar, unnumbered and bearing a beaver design, will also expire in the hands of consumers. "Beaver" coupons for evaporated milk only, will continue to be valid.

Consumers holding unused "Beaver" coupons, may, on application to a local ration-board, have them exchanged for the newly issued "Buffalo" coupon.

Our heads we'd examine for this time of plenty can't last forever, so some habits must be dropped to take up some line of endeavor that will help and not hinder the progress we need to round out an era of assistance, not greed.

LEGION ASKS SWIFT ACTION ON HOUSING

Declaring that delay might result in subversive elements inciting ex-servicemen to lawless action, the Canadian Legion in a brief to Reconstruction Minister Howe demanded that the government use its emergency powers to provide temporary housing.

The Legion brief, submitted by Major General C. B. Price, Dominion president specifically recommended that:

1. The government place government place government place buildings temporarily at the disposal of Emergency Shelter Administration in congested areas if necessary, without making necessary the process of delecting them up.

2. Use emergency powers to establish a measure of temporary billeting or to requisition vacant or partially vacant buildings in congested areas.

THE PERFECT STOCKING

READY FOR MILADY

A United Kingdom firm claims to have produced the perfect stocking: fully fashioned, silk, and completely ladderless. Miss Caroline Hallett, chairman of the Government Hosiery Working Party which recently published its report, describes these stockings as "very very good." She says, "I could not tell the difference between them and pure silk, fully fashioned silk stockings made in the ordinary way. I satisfied myself that they were really ladderproof and I think it is a tremendous development in the hosiery industry." Production at present is only in the experimental stage and it cannot be stated when the stockings are likely to be on the market. The firm took out a patent for them in 1939 but the war held up research and production.

* CHURCH SERVICES *

UNITED CHURCH
Madden—Sunday school at 11 a.m.
Worship at 11:45 a.m.
Crossfield—Sunday school at 11 a.m.
Worship at 7:30 p.m.
All are cordially welcome.

CHURCH OF ASCENSION
Sunday, October 20th
Evening at 7:30 p.m.
Rev. J. M. Roe, rector

CROSSFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday morning service at 11 a.m.
Bible school at 12:00.
Prayer Service and Bible Study on Wednesday at 7:30.
Rev. J. W. MacDonald, Minister

* CLASSIFIED ADS. *

FOR SALE—A black overcoat lined with mink fur will be sold to the highest bidder. Bids will be received by the undersigned until Oct. 31 at 6 p.m. See it at the house, J. V. Howe.

ROSEBUD HEALTH UNIT. Well Baby and inoculation clinics will be held once a month as follows: Crossfield—United Church Parlor—The first Thursday of each month. 2 to 4 p.m. These clinics are free. You are cordially invited to attend.

Obituary

Constance Kula

Requiem mass for Constance Marie Kula, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Antoni Kula, of Crossfield who died on Tuesday in General hospital will be celebrated today (Friday), at 9 a.m. in St. Mary's Cathedral. Burial will follow in St. Mary's cemetery. Jacques funeral home is in charge.

Besides her parents she is survived by her brother, Albert, Crossfield, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kilia, St. Michael, Alberta.

IN MEMORIAM

Do not ask us if we miss him. For there's such a vacant place. Often we think we hear his footsteps. Or see his smiling face. For he left us broken-hearted. Friends may think the wound is healed. But they so little know the sorrow. That is in our hearts concealed. No morning dawns, no night returns. At that we think of him.

Our dearest son and brother Beryl Melvin Patmore, killed in motor cycle accident Oct. 14, 1945 at Crossfield.

Always remembered by mother, Dad, Lorne, Beryl and June.

PICTURE SHOW ON SATURDAY Evening THIS WEEK:

"Papa Love Mama"

NEXT WEEK

"OUT OF THIS WORLD" Starring Bing Crosby, Eddie Bracken, and Veronica Lake
SPECIAL CONCERT Preceding the show. No extra charge. Better be on time if you want a seat.

ADDED SHORTS AND NEWSREEL

Schools from all over Central Alberta met in Okla today to attend the track meet. This is the first such meet here since before the war and keen interest is being shown in all events.

C. C. Stafford is home again after spending some time in the Calgary General hospital.

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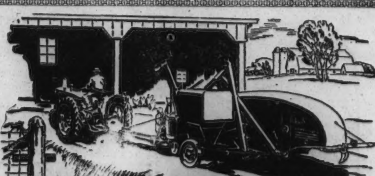
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The CANADIAN BANK of COMMERCE

The Bank will make delivery of all Bonds on 15th October, or soon thereafter as full payment for them is made.

A Citizenship Week

FOR MANY YEARS, interested groups throughout Canada have advocated that the public, and especially new citizens, should be made more fully aware of the privileges and responsibilities of citizenship, and that when people from other lands take out naturalization papers, more effort should be made to impress upon them the significance of their new status. With the coming into effect of Canada's new Citizenship Act, on the first of next January, a new procedure is to be followed in connection with the formal granting of citizenship, and it will no doubt be regarded with great interest in all parts of the Dominion. At that time, a nation-wide Citizenship Week is to be observed from January 6 to 11, and during that week many who have fulfilled the necessary qualifications will receive their new status.

A Pattern For Such Occasions

A special committee is now arranging for the observance of Citizenship Week and it is expected that there will be regional as well as national programs designed to impress both old and new citizens with the meaning and value of this important step. One feature of the observance will be a large and colorful ceremony at the Parliament Buildings at Ottawa, when a group of persons representing all parts of Canada, who have completed the necessary qualifications will become citizens of Canada. Similar gatherings will take place in other parts of the country, and it is expected that the procedure to be followed, which may include speeches by government officials and other dignitaries, appropriate music, and the presence of relatives and friends of the new citizens, will set a pattern for future ceremonies of this kind.

People Tend To Forget Duties

All Canadians, whether they are such by birth or by naturalization, would do well to give more thought to the meaning of citizenship. In contrast to the intense nationalism and the almost complete submergence of the individual to the state, which we have seen in so many countries in our time, the lack of interference here in political and religious beliefs and other matters essential to the freedom of the individual, tends in many cases to cause people to forget the duties of citizenship. It is apparent that there is no security in the world today, and that if we are to keep the things we value, we must take care to preserve them. Canada remains one of the few places in the world not torn by war, famine, and bitter political strife, and what has happened in other countries could happen here. "Citizenship Week" will no doubt arouse much interest, but Canadians would do well to carry this interest into all their activities in every week of the year.

GIRL GUIDES

Commissioner Speaks Of Opportunities For Youth In Canada

CAUX, Switzerland. — Mrs. Gordon Conant, Girl Guide commissioner for Ontario, was one of the chief speakers at the weekend sessions of the European Assembly for Moral Re-orientation at Caux, Switzerland. Mrs. Conant, who is attending the assembly on her way to the world conference of Girl Guide Associations, spoke of the opportunities before Canadian youth.

"Canada is a great country," she said, "but she has become the battleground and tool of wrong forces. The time is urgent and youth is our strongest asset. I have dedicated my life to the youth of my country. I have dedicated it now in a different way. I go on to the world conference of Girl Guide Associations not only with a desire to help but with a passion for the ideology of Moral Re-orientation."

Mrs. Conant pointed out how certain countries were trying to do away with the Scout and Guide movements. "The first law they want to eliminate," she said, "was I promise to do my duty to God and country." They want to substitute, she continued, "A Guide is noble for a Guide is pure in thought, word and deed."

Other speakers at the assembly, which has representative delegations from Canada, the United States, Europe and the Far East, included George Simmons, British Labor M.P. and commissioner of the treasury, and Pierre Cartier, president of the Federation of French Insurance Companies and former member of the Allied Control Commission in Germany.

The Admiral's Suite

Will Be Used By Royal Family On South African Trip

The Queen is choosing the furnishings and decorations for the Royal Suite in H.M.S. Vanguard, which will take their Majesties to South Africa early next year. The Royal apartments will be those designed for an Admiral and his staff. They are situated in the after part of the superstructure, afford a view to port and starboard, and give direct access to the magnificent promenade of the quarter-deck. A small private sundeck is to be made for the Royal party on the roof of their apartments. Her Majesty has chosen cream walls and light-colored carpets. Plate and cutlery and some furniture from the Royal Yacht Victoria and Albert will be used. The Vanguard is Britain's biggest and fastest battleship. Amenities for the crew include a cinema, a soda fountain and a cafeteria.

NAME IS CHANGED

The name of the Red army has been changed to Soviet army, and the Red navy to Soviet navy, the Russian military administration announced. The Russian army has been officially known as the Red army since Lenin raised forces to defend the Soviet regime in the civil war following the Bolshevik revolution of October, 1917.

Potatoes were not known in North America until after the middle of the 16th century, when they were brought to Virginia from Peru.

Custom Explained

Chief Scout Tells Why Left Handshake Always Used

Many, who do not belong to the Scout organization, wonder why their handshakes are always with the left hand. To most Scouts, Cubs, Girl Guides and Brownies it was always understood that it was always the left hand was closest to the heart.

However, Lord Rowallan gave the true explanation, one which was first known many years after it was first instituted. According to Lord Rowallan it was during a visit to Africa that Lord Baden Powell, former Chief Scout of the British Empire, met a chief of the Ashanti tribe. On stepping forward to greet the African chief Lord Baden Powell extended his right hand but the Ashanti chief extended his left, explaining as he did that "the heaviest of the brave shake hands with their left hand as in order to do so they must throw away their greatest protection, their shields."

MILAN FAIR

MILAN, Italy.—For the first time since 1942, Milan's international fair, reconstructed on a bomber site, was opened to the public recently. The only British exhibit was a display in the chemical section by a Manchester oil refinery company.

Some newspaper presses are capable of producing 300,000 copies an hour.



Freedom Of The Seas

Is A Mutual Interest Between Canada And United States

VICTORIA.—For many years, the mutual interests between Canada and the United States has been the sea and the two countries' whole existence demands maintenance of freedom of the seas. Vice-Admiral A. W. Fitch, U.S.N., commanding officer of the U.S. Naval College at Annapolis, told members of the United States Institution of Vancouver Island, at a luncheon meeting here.

A cayman is a species of alligator.



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Gift Parcels

British Housewives Find The Food Situation More Difficult

LONDON.—Canadians packing gift parcels for the United Kingdom for Christmas or any other time might remember the British people like to be clean as well as full.

Some soap would be a welcome addition to the food parcels. British officials said the parcels must not exceed 11 pounds, of which only seven can be food and not more than two pounds of any one food. The other four pounds could include necessities like soap and clothing.

Not more than one parcel monthly is allowed and it must be unopened. These regulations are set forth by the Board of Trade which demands import permits for almost everything brought into the United Kingdom apart from gift parcels.

Customs officials said both new and used clothing sent in parcels are dutiable. Thus while the trade board has no objection to clothing being part of the parcel the recipient may have to pay duty. Although many may have received clothing in parcels and not been charged duty, it does not necessarily mean they will escape in the future.

Officials said the food of parcels from the Dominions continues although there have been recent protests that the parcels have not been received. If regulations are contravened the department has power to impound the parcels but one source said that of the millions received in the first five months of 1946 only 125 were stopped in that manner.

Officials said they doubted that many parcels had been lost in transit as lengthy delays still occurred in shipments and some who protested that parcels were stolen or had strayed received them later.

British housewives find the food situation more difficult than during the war with bread rationed and reductions in several categories. They find it difficult to make food tasty and orange or lemon peel would help with Christmas cakes. Nuts would be welcome and dried pears, apples or apricots. Some raisins and currents are available here but Canadian chocolate bars, soups, puddings, canned meat and the like remain most acceptable.

R.C.M.P. History

Commissioner Mead Is An Authority On Story Of Famous Force

In nearly half a century with the Mounties Deputy Commissioner Mead figured in enough excitement to fill a dozen adventure magazines. He became such an authority on the history and lore of Canada's famous police force that when T. Morris Longstreth and Henry Vernon were writing "Murder at Belly Butte", a thriller dedicated to Col. Cortland Starnes, then head of the R.C.M.P., he was commissioned as secretary to the authors.

He conducted the two writers through the Northwest Territories, where he had served as a constable, and later aided in developing several other stories based on R.C.M.P. records.

Now he has laid aside his tunic for the last time and has leisure for memories, his friends and his memoirs. He helped to bring law into the Canadian wilderness and he has earned his rest—Vancouver Province.

SMILE AWHILE

"Why have you got 'Push' printed on that door when it opens outward?"

"That's so people will be sure to pull it."

"What's happened, George?"

"Puncture."

"You should have looked out for it. The guide book says that there is a fork in the road just about here."

"Come, come, Joan, surely you know if the world is round or square? . . . Mary, tell her."

"It's crooked, teacher," said Mary, dully.

"Did you cancel all my engagements, as I told you, Smithers?"

"Yes, sir, but Lady Millicent didn't take it very well. She said you were to marry her next Monday."

Binks: "I'm the happiest man in the world. I have the best wife in the country."

Banks: "Well, who wouldn't be happy with his wife in the country?"

Professor: "What is the most potent poison?"

Student: "An airplane, one drop and you're dead."

Judge—Driving a car at 80 miles an hour is a criminal offence!

Speeder—I can't help it, Judge. I do everything fast.

Judge—Thirty days in jail. See if you can do that, in less than a month!

Two little boys were talking over the wonders of nature.

First—"Aren't ants funny things. They just work and work all the time and never play."

Second—"I don't know. Every time you go on a picnic, they are there."

"Tell me, please, how I should go about getting a start in the great game of business?"

"Sell your wrist watch, and buy an alarm clock."

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GEMS OF THOUGHT

ACHIEVEMENT

It is the old lesson—a worthy purpose, patient energy for its accomplishment, a resoluteness undaunted by difficulties, and then success—Fulfillment.

No wind makes for him that hath no intended port to sail into—Montaigne.

The devotion of thought to an honest achievement makes the achievement possible.—Mary Baker Eddy.

If you wish success in life, make perseverance your bosom friend, experience your wise counselor, caution your elder brother, and hope your guardian genius.—Addison.

A purpose underlies character, culture, position, attainment of every sort—Munger.

Nothing is achieved before it be thoroughly attempted.—Sir Philip Sidney.

THE EXPLANATION

If you cry over onions, you're lucky. People who can't produce tears really suffer because their eyes smart. Onions give off something to the air exciting the ends of the nerves of smell in the nose and also the ends of the nerves of touch in the eyelids and eyelids. These message the brain to tell the tear glands to make tears quickly. Result: Our eyes water.

Diamond dust saved from cutting is used for fine polishing.

Just SAY the word



"Just mention the word 'Brisk' when you ask me to tea. That's my guarantee and yours of real, satisfying tea pleasure."

Lipton's Tea has brisk flavour. That's what the experts say. That's what you will say the moment you taste this grand full-bodied tea. Lipton's Tea has that brisk flavour, always so fresh and spirited that every cup rates an encore. Change today to brisk tasting Lipton's Tea.

Brisk LIPTON'S TEA

THE FIRST ISSUE OF CANADA'S NEW SAVINGS BONDS WILL GO ON SALE OCTOBER FIFTEENTH

OTTAWA.—The new Canada savings bonds—peacetime version of victory bonds—will go on sale Oct. 15 with an interest rate of 2.75 per cent. Finance Minister Bailey announced. Interest rate on the last, or ninth, victory loan was three per cent. on long-term bonds, 1½ per cent. on short-term.

The bonds, dated Nov. 1, 1946, and maturing Nov. 1, 1956, will be issued in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500 and \$1,000, and holdings by any one person will be limited to \$2,000 since the issue is aimed at increasing individual saving by Canadians.

Because holdings are limited, the bond will be registered as to principal and will be non-transferable and non-assignable. They will also be non-callable by the government.

One difference in the new issue from wartime bonds will be that where some 15,000 salesmen assisted victory loan campaigners, the new bonds will be available only through banks, authorized investment dealers, stockbrokers or trust or loan companies, or through employers on the payroll savings plan.

The bonds are redeemable at 100 per cent. plus interest at any time and at any branch of a chartered bank in Canada upon identification of the registered holder, interest calculated monthly.

The 2½ per cent. interest will be by annual coupon. The sale opens Oct. 15, when the bonds will be available for cash, on the monthly savings plan, payroll savings plan or by personal arrangement with a bank.

The interest rate of 2½ per cent. bears out a forecast by the finance minister last June that terms would be more favorable than those of other comparable investments at the time of issue.

"The fact that the Canada savings bond is backed by the resources of the Dominion of Canada makes it the safest of all investments, and comparison can only properly be made with other Dominion of Canada issues," the minister said in a statement.

HAD RICH HAUL

Salmon Fishermen Will Likely Have Revenue Exceeding \$4,000,000

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C.—Fraser river sockeye salmon fishermen have just completed their most successful season in four years with a total catch that will bring them a gross revenue of possibly more than \$4,000,000.

Fishing for sockeye salmon on the Fraser has been closed indefinitely and will not reopen unless such action is found advisable by the Pacific International Salmon Commission.

More than 3,000 gill net boats, many of them operated by veterans of the Second Great War, participated in the rich haul as the great Adams river sockeye run moved up the Fraser river to spawning grounds. The Adams river run, the largest in the Fraser river, is estimated to have numbered more than 12,000,000 fish this year.

The salmon runs are in four year cycles and the great Adams river run will not come back up the Fraser river until 1950.

STOP SHIPMENTS

Canadian Wheat Board Issues New Rolling Governing Barley

WINNIPEG.—The Canadian wheat board announced that effective immediately no shipments of barley may be made to Fort William-Port Arthur from any shipping point west of these ports. Shipment of dump barley is exempt.

It was also announced that shipment of oats from each western elevator to any destination would be permitted in the ratio of one car of oats after every three cars of wheat had been shipped.

MAY USE PALACE

COPENHAGEN.—A palace built nearly 200 years ago for the Danish statesman Count Bernstorff will become European headquarters of the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization if an invitation from the Danish government is accepted.



FORESEES OIL ACTIVITY IN NORTH

Hon. W. A. Fallow, Alberta's minister of public works, has a vision of a huge new oil industry at Bitumont, 50 miles down river from Ft. McMurray. He says that if a report his department is preparing on the famed tar sands shows oil can be separated profitably, a separating plant in the north and a pipeline to Edmonton will be built by private interests.

USING NEW IDEA

South African Park Officials Will Not Tolerate Trespassing

JOHANNESBURG.—Trespassing motorists who choose to ignore the signs telling them to stay out of the Dongola botanical reserve in northern Transvaal are likely to regret their decision.

The intruders, most of them would-be game poachers, have an excellent chance of winding up in the middle of the park with a set of flat tires.

Roads in the park are skillfully "mined" with bent nails and other sharp-pointed obstacles, laid flush with the road and almost completely invisible to motorists, who may continue for several miles into the park before the "mines" take effect.

GETTING MORE FOOD

BERLIN.—Deputy military governors for the United States and British occupation zones announced jointly that the daily food ration for normal consumers in the two zones would be increased to 1,500 calories, effective Oct. 14. It will mean an increase of 400 calories daily in the British zone and 250 to 300 in the American zone.

CONTRACTS CLOSED

Canada Will Be Sending Quantities Of Food To Britain

OTTAWA.—The government of Canada has just closed contracts with Great Britain, Hon. J. G. Gardiner, minister of agriculture, announced, for the largest shipments of Canadian apples and vegetables since 1940.

Contracts also have been closed for shipment in 1947 of 1,750,000 cases of shell eggs and 2,000 long tons of sugar-dried eggs, the same quantities as in 1946, but at prices averaging one cent a dozen higher for spring eggs and two cents a dozen more for fall eggs.

Another has been completed for the sale of 374,000 bushels of dried white and yellow whole peas from Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario and possibly Quebec.

NEEDS MORE WHEAT

Fall Rains Have Destroyed Large Quantity In Ireland

DUBLIN.—Ireland will seek 350,000 tons of wheat from Canada and the United States this year, compared to her normal imports of 150,000 tons, informed sources said.

A serious wheat situation has arisen from abnormal fall rains which may have destroyed one quarter of the country's grain crop.

Sean Lemass, minister of industry and commerce, has organized a bread-rationing plan and 3,000,000 rationing books are ready for printing at short notice, it was learned. Bread rationing would mean a reduction in Ireland's food export to Britain because diet alternatives would have to be supplied.

PRICES TO BLAME

Uncertainty Is Delaying Marketing Of Cattle In United States

WASHINGTON.—Meat-hungry Americans are witnessing the paradox of near-record numbers of cattle roaming the ranges, while their dinner table platters are empty of beef. Agriculture department officials said the number of cattle on United States farms is not far below the 1944 peak and that the number on western ranges may be the largest on record.

But grass-fed cattle are not moving off ranges to slaughter pens in numbers the government had expected. Department experts said uncertainty over future prices tend to delay marketings.

GOVERNMENT MEMBER GIVES OUTLINE OF FOREIGN POLICY INDIA IS HOPING TO ADOPT



NEW DELHI.—Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, member for external affairs in the interim government of India, outlined to a press conference his country's aspirations as a sovereign state.

Mr. Nehru, who also is vice-president in the interim administration, said India would avoid power politics and would claim fuller diplomatic representation with ambassadors to the great powers. Goodwill missions would be sent to the middle east and Europe.

"Often enough we shall inform His Majesty's government (in London) of what we have done, but the point is that the direction and advice will go from here and not from the foreign office in London," he said at his first press conference since taking up his new office.

"Ultimately our representative in London, whether he is called ambassador or by whatever designation, will deal with India's relations with England directly. The India office is bound to be liquidated anyhow."

(The India office, a branch of the British government, has been responsible for Indian affairs up to now.)

The Indian leader said India would like to have normal diplomatic relations with Russia, "but for the moment we have none and we have to explore, investigate and then establish it after consultation with the Soviet government."

He added that "apart from Russia's intrinsic importance in world affairs today, the Soviet Union is our neighbor and it is always desirable to have neighborly relations with one's neighbors."

Plans had been drawn up for an Indian foreign service to man diplomatic posts in the British empire and foreign countries, Mr. Nehru said.

RULES FOR PEACE

ALBANY, N.Y.—The Archbishop of Canterbury was asked at a press conference whether he could give five rules for world peace. "I could give you 10," most Rev. Geoffrey Fisher replied, adding that "the curse of the modern world" was the idea that "because the Ten Commandments are old they should not be believed in."

CANADIAN SCIENTISTS HAVE PRODUCED VARIETY OF OATS WHICH WILL RESIST ALL RUST

OTTAWA.—Canada's agricultural scientists have come through with another victory over nature.

This time it's a new man-made variety of oats, so new that it hasn't yet been given a name. Its peculiar feature is that it is able to resist all the strains of stem and crown rust that appear in Canada and which in some sections forced farmers to abandon oat production and turn to other cereals.

The strain also will resist loose and covered smut which has made its appearance in some oat-growing areas.

The product of 14 years of checking and cross-breeding, the new variety has been developed by plant breeders and pathologists at the Dominion rust research laboratory at Winnipeg.

Officials said it was hoped that by next spring some 1,500 bushels of the new seed may be available for distribution to selected seed growers to increase production of seed to the

point where there will be enough for all who want it.

This is not the first oats variety that is resistant to rust, a disease in which rust-colored spots develop on the stem, leaf or crown of the grain and retard its maturity. But it is the first strain that is resistant to all the various types of rust.

Work on the new variety was started in 1932 when some seed of a South American variety of oats known as Victoria was obtained from the United States department of agriculture and was crossed with a variety of Victoria, a variety resistant to certain stem rust and now widely grown in Canada.

SMUGGLERS CAUGHT

HERFORD, Germany.—An international smuggling gang operating on a large scale over Dutch, Belgian, Danish and German frontiers has been smashed by the combined frontier control services and a number of arrests made.

UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN ARE NOT WITHDRAWING FROM JOB TO REHABILITATE EUROPE

LAKE SUCCESS, N.Y.—United Kingdom and United States delegates to the United Nations economic and social council told Russian delegates that both their countries were in the European rehabilitation picture to stay.

They reminded Russian critics of what had been done by the two major powers to save and to rehabilitate Europe and warned that they were not going to let all that effort go to waste and permit European countries to sink into a morass of inflation and economic chaos.

The spokesmen were Philip Noel-Baker, British delegate and minister of state, and John Winant, permanent United States member of the council.

They were answering bitter criticism from three Soviet delegates of the 430-page draft constitution of an economic commission to co-ordinate rehabilitation efforts in the war devastated areas of Europe.

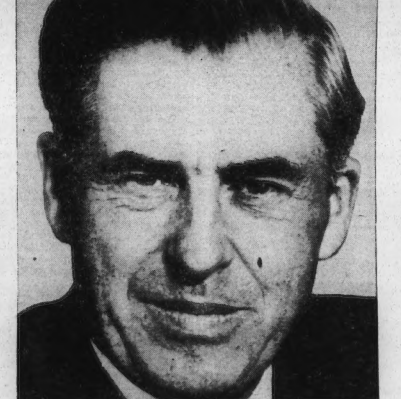
Nikolai Feonov, Russian delegate, said the report had overlooked the realities of the European problem and should be redrafted. He said it

dealt with economic practices and advice but did not promise "immediate relief and immediate help."

But the Soviet delegate was particularly bitter over the apparent treating of Europe as an economic unit. "I do not believe Europe is an economic unit and if it is, why is the United States brought into it?" Mr. Feonov implied that the United States was on the proposed commission to take care of its own economic welfare, and brought a sharp retort from Mr. Winant.

"I want to remind the Soviet delegate that the United States is part of the occupying force in Germany and Austria and is on the Allied control council," he said. "What is done by that council is important to the economy of Europe."

Mr. Noel-Baker said the economic commission would in a measure replace UNRRA, which goes out of existence next year and which had spent nearly \$4,000,000,000 to aid war victims of Europe. Two thirds of that money came from the United States and Britain was second largest contributor.



FORMER U.S. VICE-PRESIDENT, HENRY WALLACE flung a bombshell in the diplomatic world when he made public his letter to President Truman urging guarantees to Russia.



PALESTINE VISITOR REPORTS TO ONTARIO ZIONISTS—Recently returned from Palestine, Mendel Fishler, left, executive of the Jewish National Fund of America, chats with Max Graffstein, editor of the Jewish Observer, in London, Ont., where Ontario Zionists heard him discuss Holy Land problems.



TWENTY-ONE LIVES LOST IN LANDING CRASH—A Dakota transport plane such as this took 21 R.C.A.F. men to their deaths when it crashed recently during an attempted landing at Estevan, Sask., and burst into flames.

NATIONAL SWINE POLICY TO IMPROVE HOG STANDARDS

Grading System Set Up As A Means Towards Improving Commercial Hogs

"Consumers' tastes dictate the standard for any product. If the producer and the consumer can meet, the desires of the latter can readily be interpreted. It is seldom, however, that the hog producer really comes in contact with the consumer to ascertain his desire. It was, therefore, deemed advisable to set up grade standards which would interpret the producer the character and type of the live animal that could be processed conveniently and economically into the finished product."

These observations were made recently by Leslie Hancock, Supervising Grader, Live Stock and Live Stock Products Division, Dominion Department of Agriculture, in an address on carcass grading of hogs to the American Institute of Co-operation, Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana, U.S.A. In a comprehensive review, he traced the Canadian hog grading policy from its institution in 1922 to the present time, with all the necessary changes as experience has suggested from time to time.

As to why carcass grading was necessary, Canada is an exporting country and requires an outlet for her surplus hog production. In the early 1920's, Canada found herself with a quantity of bacon to export but bacon of inferior quality. Difficulties were being experienced in marketing that class of bacon to Great Britain. In 1921, a National Swine Conference was convened to review the swine situation. The conference recommended that a grading system be set up as a means towards the improvement of commercial hogs, and one important outcome of the conference was that an agreement was arrived at between the producers and the packers for the payment of a premium for "select" or top grade hogs. In October, 1922, standards for live grading of hogs were established under the authority of the Livestock and Livestock Products Act, and thus was established what might be termed a "National Swine Policy."

Carcass grading of hogs, said Mr. Hancock, has proved to be one means by which a farmer is paid for the quality of the product he markets and he is also in a position to know from the returns he receives how his efforts are meeting market requirements. It is the producer who actually sets the standard and the grading policies interpret that standard to the producers of the raw material.

Defensive Armaments

Italy Seeks Permission To Increase Size Of Her Navy

PARIS.—Italy sought permission of the 21-power peace conference to increase the effective strength of her projected peace-time navy from 22,500 officers and men—the figure fixed by the Big Four—to 35,000.

The Italian delegation prepared to present to the military commission—which approved the Big Four recommendation on Sept. 3—a request for the increase in a final plea for "defensive armaments," together with a plea that the excessive shipping which the victor nations demand Italy destroy, be converted to scrap iron rather than become a total loss.

At the same time, Dr. Ales Bisher of Yugoslavia was scheduled to wind up Yugoslav demands on Italy before the Italian political and foreign commission with a demand that the Italian city of Monfalcone, which lies about 17 miles northwest of Trieste and about the same distance southwest of Gorizia, be turned over to Yugoslavia.

In addition to seeking an increase in naval strength, the Italians also readied a plea that the military commission permit them to keep artillery emplacements which are incapable of firing beyond Italian borders or Italian waters.

The Italians also intended to ask the commission for permission to have in their post-war air force some fighter bombers to be used "defensively," and some self-propelled missiles they said they would use only as anti-tank and anti-aircraft weapons.

Clock Strikes Thirteen

Was Used In Lancashire Coal Fields 200 Years Ago

The only clock in England which strikes 13 has been presented by the Earl of Ellesmere to the Parish Church at Worsley, Lancashire. The clock was installed in the Worsley colliery during the industrial revolution nearly 200 years ago by the then Duke of Bridgewater. He found that while his workpeople were ready to answer the 12 strikes which announced midday meetings they refused late to work. And their excuse was that they had missed hearing the single chime. A clock maker at Eccles, where the clock came from, was commissioned to make the 13-piece strike 13 at one p.m. When the clockmaker finally delivered the Bridgewater Estates the clock was moved to Bridgewater House, London S.W. Now that Bridgewater House has been sold the clock is to be taken back to Worsley.

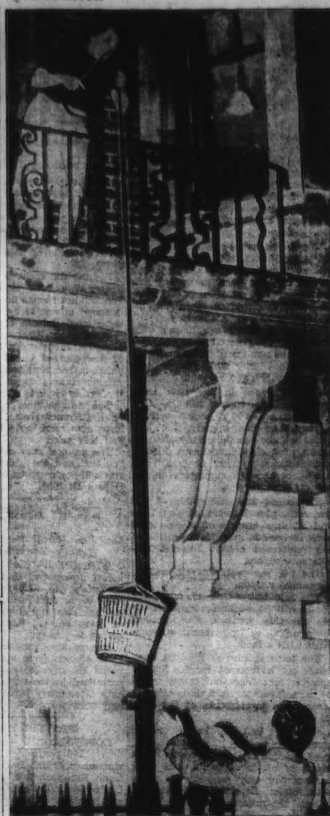
Sympathizers Aided London's Squatters Before Their Evacuation



These pictures taken before the evacuation of the squatters from 630-room Ivanhoe hotel in London, shows that while police looked the other way, food was tossed to a squatter.



Squatters in Abbey Lodge, Regent's Park, London, are aided by this navy man, who throws loaves of bread to them through the open windows. Note bread in mid-air.



Police cut off light, heat and water in attempt to force squatters to leave Ivanhoe hotel. This basket was used as a dumb waiter to haul food until bobbies grabbed it.

Troubles Are Settled

Sure There's Nothing Too Good For The Irish

DUBLIN.—Eire's position as a republican member of the British Commonwealth of Nations, in which it regards the King as a chairman rather than a sovereign, as outlined in a recent address at Waterford by a junior member of the government. The Irish people do not derive their sovereignty from the King, said Eire's Minister for local government and public health. They had not come from England as colonists and their history from the British point of view had been disastrous.

"I believe myself, it is in some ways a good example to the world that you can have a group of nations with a very close relationship—as between Canada and England—and then this new form of relationship—such as there is between Ireland and England—under which the King plays no part in our sovereignty. Our sovereignty is derived solely from the Irish people themselves," he said.

He said Eire always had insisted on its sovereignty in dealings with Britain, and the British government had come to respect Prime Minister De Valera as a man whose word could be relied upon absolutely. "We have settled all our troubles with the English except partition," he said, "and when that trouble is settled I think there will be no country more friendly with Great Britain than this country."

Very Resourceful

Clydebank Shipbuilders Are Crating Small Craft For Export

The Clydebank shipbuilder is nothing if not resourceful. He has many side-lines. He has now started to export small craft by crate. He does not launch them on completion. When they reach that stage they are dismantled plate by plate, crated, then sent as cargo to be assembled and put into service when they reach the Far East.

Clydebank is very busy these days. Shipbuilding is by no means its sole interest. It is taking a big part in repairing war ravage. In the Far East particularly, it is helping to reopen mines, rebuild factories, and that you'll see. —London Daily Graphic.

A VERSATILE GRAIN

The Sioux City Journal says corn is the most versatile of grains, but says the Ottawa Citizen, in support of this it mentions only three of its commoner uses — corn-on-the-cob, corn bread and corn fritters. By some queer quirk, it omitted corn-on-the-radio, corn liker and corn platters.

Viscount Montgomery

Waged The Most Successful Coalition War In History

Viscount Montgomery of Alamein, the "Monty" of the black beret, the crisp speech and the first decisive victories of the Allied nations over the dark power of Hitlerism, has not tried to turn his first visit to the United States into a triumphal tour.

The swift wings of air transport dropped him briefly at West Point, where he took the salute of an honor guard, reviewed the Corps of Cadets, saw some football practice and flew on to Washington.

At the National Airport he was hailed with a "Hi, Monty!" by two old comrades in arms, Generals Eisenhower and Bradley. He was, of course, paying the ceremonial tribute at the Unknown Soldiers' tomb in Arlington, but he was not inviting the crowds or the brass bands or the formal ceremonies.

For two things this country will always honor him: he was the victor of El Alamein, the point at which victory began, and he was the chief British element in the one team which waged the most successful coalition war in history.—New York Herald Tribune.

Awarded George Cross

Major In British Regiment Gave Life To Save Comrades

Maj. Hugh Paul Seagrims of the 19th Hyderabad Regiment, who gave up his life to the Japanese that seven others might live, has been posthumously awarded the George Cross. The London Gazette in disclosing the award of Britain's prized decoration for gallantry to the Indian Army officer said Maj. Seagrims was the leader of a party operating in the Karen Hills of Burma. Maj. Seagrims and seven members of his party surrendered after the Japanese tortured natives in Karen and threatened further reprisals.

Maj. Seagrims subsequently was executed at Rangoon after pleading that he alone of his eight-men party should suffer death because he had been in charge.

His mother visited the King at Buckingham Palace and received the George Cross for her son. Once before she made such a visit. Last time she received the Victoria Cross for her son, Derek, who died a hero's death fighting against Rommel at the Mareth Line.

To Feel Right — Eat Right!



Seed Exports

Large Increase In Export Of Clover Grass Seed

More than 35,000,000 pounds of Canadian grown agricultural seeds were exported from Canada in the 12 months ended June 30, 1946. Alfalfa clover and grass seeds accounted for nearly 31½ million pounds and field root and vegetable seeds totaled more than 3½ million pounds. Among clovers the highest exports were of white clover with 11,061,410 pounds, followed by trume grass with 7,877,658 pounds, alfalfa with 5,140,144 pounds, and timothy with 4,017,993 pounds. Chief among the vegetable seed exports were pea seed with 2,260,673 pounds, and onions 344,320 pounds, and among the fields roots mangal seed led with 241,332 pounds. Compared with 1944-45, there were very large increases in the exports of clover and grass seed, with the exception of red clover, and of slender wheat grass among the grass seeds.

The Country Doctor

Qualities That Distinguished These Men Are Still Available

The horse and buggy doctor has passed as a type. Country doctors today have methods of transportation and techniques of treatment undreamed of in the time when Dr. Hertzler started to practise. But the qualities which distinguished the best of these men are valuable in all ages.

Medicine is rapidly changing from a craft to a science. The specialist and the clinic are taking the place of the old general practitioner to an increasing extent.

"Now," he said, "I am going to drop this two-shilling piece into this glass of acid. Will it dissolve?" "No, sir," replied one of the students.

"No?" said the demonstrator. "Then perhaps you will explain to the class why it won't dissolve."

"Because," came the answer, "if it would, you wouldn't drop it in."

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In 1856 paper was made from corn stalks.

Wonderful Display

Shown At Britain's Industrial Show

"Britain Can Make It" Exhibition Proves That Rapid Post-War Progress Has Been Made

LONDON.—Britain, which during the war showed she could take it, now is proving she can make it. At the £200,000 (\$800,000) "Britain can make it" exhibition which displays thousands of modern articles from radio-equipped bicycles to air-cooled beds. The press had a preview and walked the glittering corridors to gaze at streamlined sewing machines, model two-story sleeping cars, an automobile trailer that is a home away from home, and an electric cooker where the dinner's progress can be watched through the glass top of the oven.

The air-cooled bed looks at first glance like the two-seated sleds in which Canadian youngsters 40 years ago snuggled in buffalo robes. It is completed with zippers, dials, a streamlined fan and a scientific explanation that the "envelope and air space provide thermal insulation with complete freedom of movement."

By turning dials, any temperature can be obtained.

The trip around the exhibition is a third of a mile long and not all of the show guesses about the future. It covers the whole range of consumer goods including dress fabrics, household furnishings and sport and leisure goods. It was organized by the council of industrial design to which manufacturers submitted 20,000 articles for display. The council accepted only about 5,000.

The exhibition is not a trade fair but home and overseas buyers will be able to arrange contacts with the manufacturers of goods which interest them. It is a bright but comparatively humble display compared with pre-war exhibitions.

The theme in many displays of conversion from war to peace is still in mind. For example, there is the saucupan beside the exhaust pipe of a wrecked Spitfire with the explanation that pipes used to burn out fast until a new material was developed. Now, a better saucupan is being made from the same material.

SYDNEY, Australia.—Australia's coal resources are believed to be sufficient to last 800 years. The country is estimated to possess 13,700,000,000 tons of unmined coal and 38,000,000,000 tons of lignite.

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Fighting Ships of Canada's Navy Commanded By R.C.M.P. Officers Who Served With Marine Section

(By A/Cpl. W. E. Bell in the R.C.M.P. Quarters)

UPON the announcement that the Naval Service had taken over the R.C.M.P. Marine Section's ships and also wanted the personnel, the immediate reaction of the latter showed clearly that the course of events had been closely watched. Overnight 87 per cent. of that personnel went over to the armed forces. Most of the transfers were to the Naval Service, a small number to the Air Force, and one man joined the Canadian Army.

Preference for the Navy was natural as these men were seamen by instinct and training, and their extensive knowledge of the coast would be invaluable in the task ahead. There were only 209 officers and men and some 35 ships and boats, but they meant much to coastal defenses when, without stopping to count the cost, this Canada of ours, somewhat bewildered and certainly not prepared, picked up the gauntlet that had been thrown at her feet.

A story that went the rounds in 1940 has it that at a certain conference held to discuss the growth and expansion of the naval forces this question was raised: "Where were the seamen to be obtained for the ships being requisitioned?"

A man to whom the Canadian Navy owes much is credited with having answered, "Seamen? I have no seamen except the 'Mounties' and the 'Rummies' they used to chase."

Men had to be found, and in a hurry, who could teach by precept and example, and our little Marine Section became the nucleus of a small firm ranks on which to lay the foundation of a Navy which eventually grew to over 500 ships and nearly 90,000 officers and men. Our men were disciplined, inured to the monotony of patrol, familiar with the requirements, and wise in the ways of the sea. They were the logical men for the job.

With adaptability and energy the ships and men of the R.C.M.P. Marine Section assisted in organizing and setting up port defenses and examination stations; coastal and seagoing patrols were instituted; coastguard shipping controls formed—and in the shuffle members of the Marine Section often filled key positions in a naval service that was realizing the value of Diesel power. Some of the men superintended the construction of new types of ships. The professional knowledge and skill of others were made use of in the appraisal and acceptance of old ships that could readily be converted for war service. Often, to use a naval simile, "... they placed the man and built the ship around him."

When the new ships were built a "drafting" problem evolved. Men were moved from old ships to new, and none ever was in one place. Change after change took place, and each of our men became part of a nucleus round which an entire new ship's company was moulded. Laboriously the many ships' companies were formed, each with pride in itself and its ship's achievements. Seamanship and the art of ship handling were taught, and in the engine and boiler rooms engineering knowledge and skill were imparted (a euphemism for lecturing, heckling, sometimes almost hammering) by Marine Section personnel to others. When the job was done, there were other ships on which the process was repeated.

Some of our men were appointed to commands and went to sea to hunt and destroy, or to be destroyed. As more ships became available, their work increased. With an expanding Navy came an expansion of the area to be patrolled. The lines were stretched dangerously thin and had to be guarded from one end to the other, especially in the deadly mid-Atlantic where as yet there was no air coverage. In this dangerous area ships and their priceless cargoes had to be safeguarded, and the only means of doing it was the fighting efficiency of the escort ships and their men.

In many instances the days did not have enough hours, and the weeks enough days. It was fortunate that many of these men were familiar with naval procedure and deckyard practices. What they had learned in peacetime paid dividends in times of war, yielded smooth efficiency free of delays and confusion.

No less than 66 of the coastal and fighting ships of Canada's Navy were commanded by R.C.M.P. officers and men who had formerly served with the Marine Section of the Force. In addition, 28 naval vessels, former R.C.M.P. personnel were in charge of engine-rooms. Members of the Force at sea were awarded four O.B.E.'s, one Distinguished Service Cross, three B.E.M.'s and seven Mentions in Despatches.

The figures show the old command "Quit you like men, be strong," was carried out, that the handful of men who did it wrote a chapter in history and built a tradition that merits a place alongside other proud achievements in the annals of the Force.

The moth of the silkworms has lost the ability to fly and is completely dependent upon man for survival.



WILLIE HOWE FROM DUTCH C.W.A.C.'S

Two years ago Wilhelmus Vandenberg left his home in Foremost, Alta., to join the Vrouwen Corps, Dutch version of the C.W.A.C. She is home now as Mrs. L. A. Weston, wife of a lieutenant-colonel she met while acting as interpreter and secretary in the Dutch East Indies.

Has More To Offer

Scientists Think Universe Has Something Better Than Atomic Power

Physicists were of the opinion they had developed atomic energy to a point where the industrialists should take over, and leave them free to look further into even greater realms of power the universe has to offer.

Cosmic rays and their high energy particles seem to be the keynote of this 1946 meeting of the American Physical Society which was attended by several hundred of the most famous physicists in the world.

The general belief was that enough had been learned of the splitting of the atom and the resulting release of energy to permit industrial scientists to begin planning application of such power to industrial uses, such as heat or fuel.

Research already has begun in the medical use of atomic energy. These physicists, some of them unusually young to be poking around such complex problems, are thinking mostly of cosmic radiation, particularly of a charged particle, known as a meson, which has thousands of times as much energy as is released in the splitting of the atom.

The sun takes about 25 days to turn all the way around once.

NO COMPULSION

Will Not Force Genuine Refugees To Return To Native Land

LAKE SUCCESS, N.Y. — Canada told the United Nations economic and social council that no compulsion should be employed to force "genuine refugees" to return to their native lands against their wishes, a course urged by Russia as one means of solving the problem of Europe's 1,000,000 displaced persons.

While agreeing with Russia that repatriation should be the "primary object" of the proposed international commission to be set up by the council to resettle and repatriate the world's homeless, State Secretary Paul Martin opposed Russian delegate Nicholas Penon in emphasizing that "no genuine refugees should be forced to return to his place of origin against his will." Russia has demanded that "traitors" to Russia and other countries be compelled to return to their native lands to face trial.

Canada's delegate told the 18-power body:

"The Canadian government believes in the following principles: "1. The problem of refugees is an international responsibility. "2. Repatriation should be carried out to the fullest extent possible. "3. No genuine refugees should be forced to return to his place of origin against his will. "4. No aid should be extended to war criminals, quislings or traitors."

New Five-Year Plan

The Soviet Union Is Speeding Up Development In Arctic Zone

A speedup in Arctic development, including scientific studies to make the northern sea route across Siberia "a normally navigable waterway," is a major aim of the Soviet Union's new five-year plan.

Expeditions have left for the Arctic zone to explore for minerals and study climatic conditions. New marine surveys will be made by Soviet ships equipped with the latest radio-navigation equipment.

One party under control of the Arctic Institute has gone to an island in the Laptev Sea, midway between Leningrad and the Bering Sea, for long-term observation of weather and geological conditions.

Head of the institute is Victor Bunitsky, veteran of Arctic exploration. His geologists already have discovered coal, tin and oil deposits in the far north and some of the mines are working in the Arctic area.

If the sea route can be made available to ordinary shipping, it will do much to further exploitation of the USSR's northern resources, already valuable but scarcely tapped so far. More than 100 of the institute's top men have been assigned to hydrographic studies.

Votes For Chinese

Present A Case To The Army, Navy And Air Force Veterans

Canada's Chinese ex-servicemen, through Frank Ho Lem, Vancouver veteran and former Blaney shot, have presented a case to the annual convention of the Army, Navy and Air Force Veterans in session at Edmonton.

Branch 280 of the veterans' organization is composed entirely of Chinese ex-servicemen, headed by Mr. Ho Lem. The Chinese vets contend, with considerable justification, that since all Chinese-Canadians were subjected to military call and were required to fulfill their responsibilities of citizenship under the Canadian Mobilization Act, they should not now be denied the full rights and privileges of citizenship, including the vote.—Vancouver News-Herald.

PLANTED FLAG

MOSCOW. — Soviet mountaineers have planted the Red flag on a 20,000-foot peak in the Tian Shan Mountains in Kazakhstan, Soviet Central Asian republic. It was learned. This was the third attempt to conquer the peak, reputed to be the highest of the chain.

WILL VISIT CANADA

French Delegate To The United Nations' Food Organization

COPENHAGEN, — Mme. Germaine Doregnan, resting for a moment from her duties as a French delegate to the United Nations Food and Agricultural Organization, smiled and said, "But of course I want to visit Canada, there is nowhere else in the world—nowhere—that I want to see so much."

For 30 years this small, competent woman has been a figure in the French Socialist movement. Today she is a member of the French National Assembly and chairman of its nutrition committee.

She speaks quietly about the place of women in world affairs—"I am sorry to see there are not other women here as spokesmen of their countries, for food and food economics have intense interest for women."

She thinks that woman can enter politics and public life and still raise families and care for households, but admits it is not easy. She has a son and daughter now grown up, and she was active in the Socialist party and as a journalist when they were small. She enjoyed her home life but the demands on her time were great.

She would not like to say that all women can look forward to being both housewives and public figures. They must judge for themselves—and their first duty is to their children.

SOMETHING CROOKED

The party of tough card-players were returning home by train from the races.

"I'm finished," said one, flinging down his hand in disgust. "The game ain't straight."

"Not yet mean—not straight!" demanded another fiercely.

"I mean it's crooked," snarled the first. "You ain't playing the hand I dealt yer."

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by Alice Brooks

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The Gyropilot Is The Newest Thing For Making Safer Landing Of Commercial Planes

MONTAIGU FIELD, N.Y.—Fog and airplane travel safely do not mix, but the time is coming when they will. It may come in the next eighteen months when the big commercial airliners can land and take off in the worst kind of visibility conditions. At least a step in that direction was demonstrated at this former top secret army airfield when a four-engined DC-4 commercial plane was brought over a runway, ready for landing, by a new robot pilot.



VOICE OF CANADA AT LAKE SUCCESS

VITAL to the welfare of the nation of the world are meetings of the United Nations Economic and Social Council at Lake Success, Long Island. Secretary of State the Hon. Paul A. Hoffman heads Canada's delegation. Canada is expected to play an important role in deliberations.

Are Very Useful

All Soldiers Know Value Of Puttees In Practical Warfare

W. L. Clark, in the Windsor Star, says this argument about puttees is a bit foolish, as anyone who has worn the puttees in combat knows.

The puttees were designed to keep out the sand, for the right cut around the boot-top and up the leg, the soldier could walk through drifting sand and not get his boots filled with it.

The puttee also kept out the mud. When men had to wade through muck and mire, the puttee gave some protection. While it would not keep out water, it would help keep out the mud. And if the puttees had a chance to dry, it could be unwound, mud and all, leaving the soldier in comparative comfort.

Someone decided against puttees but not the men who knew their value in practical warfare. That is why puttees are coming back into their own.

SEIZED OPPORTUNITY

The men were dining in a group in an Army camp, discussing any subject that arose to pass the time.

One of the subjects was reincarnation, and one of the men was a firm believer and was giving his views to the corporal, one of the most disliked men in the camp.

"Yes," he insisted, "when we die we always return as something or someone else." "Rubbish!" snapped the corporal. "Do you mean to say that if I died I might come back as a worm?" "Not a hope!" put in one of the men, seizing an opportunity. "You're never the same thing twice!"

INFLUENZA VIRUS

The influenza virus is so powerful that enough to kill 500 mice could be put into the space covered by the period at the end of this sentence.

This new thing in aviation science is the Sperry electronic gyropilot, which operates from beams sent from transmitters at an airport.

Tried out for the first time on a commercial airliner, the gyropilot took over controls of the big plane, brought it into the airfield on a graceful glide, lowered it at 300 feet per minute to within ten feet or so of the runway.

The day was fair, but the same procedure could have been followed if the ceiling were zero.

It was not necessary for the "robot" pilot to land the plane, though it also can do that trick. The primary purpose is for the "robot" to bring the plane through the heavy fog or overcast to a point where the human pilot can see the runway and thereby make a safe landing.

The new gyropilot, which will cost the air line companies about \$12,000 per plane, works in conjunction with two radio wave transmitters on the ground. One of these transmitters, called a localizer, is situated at one end of a runway; the other, called a glide path transmitter, is at a point near the other end of the runway, but somewhat off to one side.

The theory briefly is: The transmitters send out beams, one virtually vertical, the other slanting along the runway and for many miles away; the other, the glide path transmitter, somewhat horizontal.

These two types of beams, which are not audible, but which are picked up by a delicate instrument forming the actual glide path, the lowering of landing gear, are done by the "robot" pilot.

The tests were made with a 25 MPH cross-wind whipping across the runway where the transmitters were installed.

Sperry officials pointed out that if anything did go wrong with the gyropilot just as the plane was about to land, the human pilot still would have time to take back control. This could be done in a fraction of a second.

The Army and Navy used the beam machines during the war, but did not have the automatic pilot for such landings. Pilots brought their ships in on the beams, but had to operate the controls themselves.

Traffic with fog and low ceilings are not as dangerous as landings, but the gyropilot also can take a plane up just as easily as it can bring it down.

W. A. Patterson, president of United Airlines who sponsored the test with one of its DC-4's, said the pilot would be installed on all of the company's four-engined planes and some of the smaller DC-3 type. He said it would be 18 months to two years before United planes actually begin using the automatic pilot.

This, he said, is because it will take some time to train the flying personnel and also because of lack of facilities. "It is the first real step toward reliability in air transportation," he said.

There are about 30 airfields which now have the beam transmitters; in a year, it is expected the civil aeronautics administration will have installed them on 110 of the big airports.

The ceiling minimum at most airports now is from 400 to 500 feet. It's coming down, perhaps to 100 or less, one of these days.

Items Of Interest

The British museum has the fossil of a prehistoric elephant that was 14 feet tall.

The doctrine that the earth is spheroid can be traced back to the Pythagorean school of Greek philosophy, in 500 B.C.

A new type of adhesive for paper may be soaked in water for four to 48 hours without losing its "grip."

When the volcano Krakatau, near Java, erupted in 1188, the dust blew into the high upper air drifted several times around the earth and linked the skies for months.

Until the Empire State building was completed, the Eiffel Tower was the tallest building in the world.

The mail plane used by one of the larger ocean liners is catapulted from the ship about 800 miles from Southampton, England, its first port of call, thus saving more than a day on mail deliveries.

Nobody Hurt, But Smashing Big Thrill At Welland Races



Harness races at Welland, Ont., county fair had added thrills when two horses piled up in the stretch during running of the second race. Drivers and horses escaped serious injury but sulkeys were wrecked. Races went on as usual after the debris had been cleared away by track workers.

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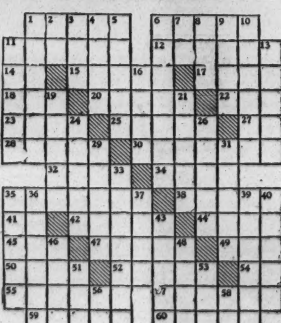
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GIANT BEAVER

TIFFIN, O.—One of the few rare giant beaver skulls in existence, dating 25,000 to 50,000 years ago when Mastodons and giant cloths roamed the United States, is owned by Weidberg College.

X-X OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE X-X

- HORIZONTAL**
1. Participant
 4. Military assistant (pl.)
 11. Irony
 12. Begins
 14. Tactless deity
 15. Distributes, as cards
 17. Place of trade
 18. Politeness
 20. Woolly plants
 22. A capuchin monkey
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 5. Period of time (pl.)
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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

Three thousand peak, one of the mountains along Labrador's rocky coast, has been named Mount Dalhousie after Dalhousie University in Halifax.

Hungarian titles will disappear under a new government decree abolishing titles and ranks as contrary to the spirit of the new democracy, it was learned.

Thirty-three pieces of Roman silver, made between A.D. 300 and 400 and all in excellent condition, were turned up by a plow in a field near Mildenhall, Eng.

Buckingham Palace has announced a new Private Secretary to Queen Elizabeth. He is 28-year-old Major Thomas Cockayne Harvey, of Ringstead, near King's Lynn, Norfolk.

The 2-power Paris conference will cost the French government some 200,000,000 francs (about \$2,000,000), it was disclosed in supplementary estimates submitted to the French Assembly.

After 100 years in the family of Rev. John Ouyry the miniature of Lady Hamilton which Admiral Nelson wore at Trafalgar was sold by auction at Salisbury, England, for £200 (\$800).

A Skymaster plane broke the record for a civil flight across Australia from Perth to Melbourne by 16 minutes. It covered the 1,700 miles in six hours, one minute.

For the first time since 1930, the State Apartments of Windsor Castle, England, have been re-opened to the public. Visitors have again been afforded the opportunity to see the Round Tower.

Field Marshal Smuts

Never Accused Of Having Been Bought With Gold

If ever there was a man in this world who could never be accused of having been bought by British gold—used to say that in the old days, when the British had gold—it is Field Marshal Jan Smuts, Prime Minister of South Africa. This superlatively educated and experienced old man, who certainly gave Kitchener a merry chase in the Boer War, has come out in the declaration that British imperialism, as such, the extension of the Empire, went out after the Boer war, the war in which he fought the British. Of course, enlightened Canadians have a good idea of all that but, unfortunately, to the South, they still think in different terms.

The evolution has been from colonies to Dominions. It is still going on, as in the case of India today, the approach to self-government. Ireland has it right now in effect. We could have it, even to the extent of staying out of Britain's wars. Quebec wants it, but what is not realized in the neighboring province yet, and it may be in due course, is that while Quebec can stay out of a British war, it can't stay out of a United States war. That lesson was pretty close to home in the last few years and it is hoped that it will never be closer in the days to come. However, Jan Smuts is a world chessman. He did not mention the name of Henry Wallace who decried British so-called imperialism. But he was near the mark. Prime Minister Smuts has known every move of the successive British governments for 40 years past. He ought to know, if any man does, that he has been driving at—St. Catharines Standard.

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A Serious Business

Driver Of Car Should Not Let

Anything Take His Attention

Victoria's chief of police says a cigarette can cause a bad automobile accident.

"If we are to reduce traffic accidents we must stop taking these little chances, which look so insignificant at the time we take them, but can have such tragic consequences," Chief McEwan says.

The chief is right, of course. An automobile driver lighting a cigarette while his car is travelling is taking a chance. He must turn his eyes from the road. In that one split second something disastrous can happen.

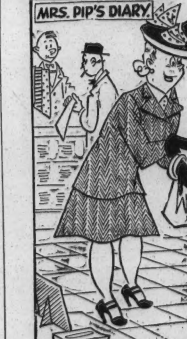
The driver of a car has a big responsibility, to himself, to those in his car, to those in every other car on the road.

Automobile driving is serious business. The person in charge of a car must be ever on the alert. Lighting a cigarette, fiddling with a radio dial, lecturing, rubber-necking at signboards and farm houses can have blood-stained results.—Time Magazine.

Regent's Park, London, contained 100 varieties of roses in its rose garden prior to the war. The garden contained 21,000 roses.

Life's Like That

By Fred Neher



"Why don't you see if they have one of those brass ones now that you've been made general manager."

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REG'LAR FELLERS—Crash Customers

BY GENE BYRNES

HEALTH

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TOPICS OF VITAL INTEREST

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PROVED VACCINATION

STILL A NECESSITY

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The London Daily Graphic said the British air ministry has obtained a site near Bedford for launching rockets to carry air mail to the United States.

If the experiments are successful Britain eventually will create radio-controlled mail and light freight rocket service travelling at the rate of 2,000 miles an hour. The rockets would reach the United States in 90 minutes.

When the new organ is installed in the United Church at Yarker, 20 miles northwest of Kingston, Ont., the congregation will be able to say, "this is the organ that hamburgers built." A considerable portion of the cost was raised by the sale of hamburgers in the village each Saturday night conducted by church members.

day want protection and they so indicated in April of this year when more than 100,000 citizens of the Greater Vancouver Metropolitan Area were vaccinated because of danger of spread from the Seattle outbreak.

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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

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THE WAY FOR CLOVER

BEES

SOMETIMES GO FIVE MILES AFTER FOOD, BUT THE USUAL MAXIMUM DISTANCE IS ABOUT A MILE.

ANSWER: upper surface left wing, under surface right wing, both sides of fuselage.

—By Chuck Thurston

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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

A GUN FOR JULIE

By THELMA GARDNER

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JULIE SERRIARI put the \$1,500 in a black cloth bag, pulled the drawstring very tight, and thrust it in the bosom of her dress. It made a bulge, but her winter coat helped to conceal the unusual outline.

Julie looked about the three-roomed cottage that had been her home for nearly twenty years. A childless widow has no use for a house on five acres of remote land but in the city she can always find some kind of work and \$1,500 is a fine sum for one's old age.

She put the padlock on the door for the last time, and with the precious bulge resting next her skin, slipped into the dusk.

Her brother, Daniel Concenla, was reading when she arrived at his cabin. He had both elbows on the table and his ears cupped in his hands. The lamp which was turned high, and light flickered about the rough board walls of the kitchen.

"Hello, Dan," she said, taking off her hat and coat. "I've got the money. Old Man Turner paid me in bills, this afternoon." Her voice trembled with nervous excitement.

Dan's eyes moved quickly over her person. "Don't see no bag. Where you got it?"

"I've hidden it on myself. No one's going to snatch any purse full of money off me." She squeezed the neckline of her dress with nervous fingers, and felt the hard lump of bills.

"Will you walk to the train station with me, Dan? I feel sorta nervous carrying so much money."

Daniel folded the paper methodically. The lamp tottered on the rickety table. "I'll see what Uncle says. He's out in the work shed."

He eased himself out of the chair, and made for the back door.

Julie sat down and waited. She fretted over the five miles she must walk to the train station. Five miles of dark country road. It was no joke for a lone woman with a lot of money.

Dan stopped back into the room. "Uncle was figgerin' on me helpin' him with a job. His car's on the blink an' I said I'd give him a hand with it. But I brought you this for perfection."

He held out a shotgun. "It ain't likely no one will bother you, but sometimes there's fellows get wind of loose dough hanging 'round the country."

Julie took the gun. "I never used one before. What do I do?" She fingered the cold steel at the barrel.

"You don't have to do nothin'. If anyone bothers you and starts gettin' tough, shove this thing into his stummock, and let 'em have it."

"Oh no, Dan! That would be murder!"

"You want your dough, don't you? Well, you got a right to protect yourself. Awright, you feel O.K. eh?"

She looked at his concerned face, and smiled with a bravery she did not feel. "Sure I'll be all right. What will I do with the gun?"

"When you get about a quarter of a mile from the station toss it into the bushes on the right hand side, then I'll know where to look for it." Julie nodded and went to the door.

"And write me a letter when you get to the city, so's I'll know you arrived O.K.," Daniel called after her.

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COST MANY LIVES

Chinese Troops And Civilians—Were Massacred By Japanese

TOKYO—More than 150,000 Chinese were massacred by Japanese in Singapore, said a hitherto secret atrocity report read to the International War Crimes Court.

"They were punished or tortured to death by Japanese secret police," said the document—which the prosecution introduced as evidence over defense protests that its authorship was unproven.

The document was discovered last week by Col. Cyril Hew Dalrymple Wild of the British Army.

The Human Heart

Is Constructed To Last Nearly 100 Years, Says Specialist

Dr. Josiah Oldfield, a specialist at Chestnut, Heris, England, said the normal human heart is constructed to beat about 2,500,000,000 times—which would mean a life span of 95 or 100 years. But most people, he added in a speech, race the heart by taking meat, drinking alcohol or taking strenuous exercise, thus causing it to stop sooner. Dr. Oldfield, who takes it easy and lives mostly on fruit, is 83.

FOUND IN OSAKA

From the murky shadows of the Osaka arsenal, Japanese have produced the much-sought bronze statue of Queen Victoria, looted from Hong Kong by the Japanese Army. The crown and right arm were missing when the statue was turned over to Allied Headquarters, which had ordered it produced upon complaint from British authorities at Hong Kong.

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MISS CANADA IN THE KITCHEN

Miss Canada, otherwise Marion Saver, now has a job (temporary) she loves. A member of the Youth Council of her home town of Richmond Hill, Ont., Miss Canada is in the kitchen preparing sandwiches, cookies and other delectables for the Youth Council's first birthday party.

For Outstanding Work

Two Awards For Drama Honors

Come To West
Mrs. Elizabeth Haynes of Edmonton and Prof. E. Maltwyn Jones, Saskatoon, have received the Canadian drama award for outstanding work in promoting Canadian drama.

Mrs. Haynes, former director of fine arts, University of Alberta's extension department, has directed plays for the university, the Edmonton Little Theatre and the allied arts council.

She has acted professionally and is the author of several plays.

Prof. Jones directed plays at the several local productions. He now is with the University of Saskatchewan.

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May Not Join Us

Possibility Of Newfoundland Throwing In Lot With Canada

There is the possibility of Newfoundland becoming the tenth province of the Dominion. From a Canadian standpoint this is desirable. It would round out Confederation and Newfoundland is vital to our defence.

However, there has always been a strong feeling against Confederation in Newfoundland. They are suspicious of their big brother and they say the Maritimes are none too happy in Confederation.

It is unlikely that Newfoundland, and particularly now that they are prosperous and have a balance in the treasury, will consider joining with the Dominion. They will be welcome, but it is entirely a matter for the Newfoundlanders themselves. — London Free Press.

Restores Speech

So-called Truth Serum Given To Man Who Had Lost His Voice

GOLDENDALE, Wash. — Mark Smith, 31-year-old Kitchikan county farmer, credited sodium pentathol, the so-called truth serum, with restoring his voice, lost 28 years ago in a German artillery barrage in France.

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BRITAIN NEEDS WORKERS

Greatest obstacle to British industrial expansion is an acute over-all shortage of male and female labor, Sir Stafford Cripps, president of the board of trade, said. There was a shortage of 100,000 cotton workers and 57,000 wool workers compared with the pre-war period. 2692

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Co-Operative Corner

By Chas. Thomas
One is continually hearing the cry, "Why doesn't the government do this" or "why doesn't the government do that" and so on and "why doesn't the government give us this and that and the other thing." Is it possible that this continuous crying at the government is a sign of deterioration in the sense of responsibility that people have as citizens in their relationship to the country? Can it be that the people of Canada would rather be run than do the running. Is it possible that the people of Canada are growing weary of the continued struggle to make our country's democratic system of government a workable institution?

One of the great drawbacks of any democratic institution is the very fact that all the interested participants of the institution must work at it all the time. Dictatorship is always the easiest way to handle any organization, be it governments or country schools. The ordinary mortal does not have to think at all—he just does as he is told.

Russia and Germany and Italy are not the only countries that have seen dictatorships. They saw it in political form. We in Canada have it in other ways. Dictatorships in Canada have sneaked into our midst under the heart warming and soul satisfying title of private enterprise and we have been foolish enough to believe it to be a very necessary part of the democratic way of life. If we do not watch ourselves we will be having a political dictatorship also. There is already an element at work in this country aiming at that very goal. This element takes the attitude that it's the governments job to tell the people what they have to do. It's

the governments job to see that the people's needs are taken care of, and especially it's the governments job to see there are no big shots. There is grave danger in this attitude because in a democratic country the government should be told, by the people, what is to be done. We the people of Canada can run this country anyway we please. Anytime we don't like what our hired men at Ottawa are doing we can change them at election time. And we can change the dictatorship pattern of our economic life just as easy. Let us pin our faith on the fact that we the people are supreme in the handling of our own affairs. But let us not forget. The more political and economic freedom we have the harder we must work at it to keep it. And the way? Co-operation.

FARMERS ASKED FOR TRACTORS AND MACHINERY

The Tractor and Farm Machinery classes at the Provincial Institute of Technology in Calgary will open on October 28th. This year we expect an unusually large attendance of farmers and farm boys taking this course. This situation creates an urgent need for tractors, combine engines and other farm engines to provide practical shop-work for the students.

The machines will be cleaned and dismantled in the shop by the students and under the constant supervision of the staff. The necessary replacements will be determined and the machine reassembled under supervision. The owner is asked to meet the cost of transportation to and from Calgary and the cost of replacement. Labor is provided free by the Institute.

Any farmer who may be interested in taking advantage of this service is asked to contact the Institute of Technology by letter, by a personal call, or by phoning Calgary 322683.

ADDITIONAL VOLUNTEERS ASKED FOR WOODS INDUSTRY

"In view of the continuing shortage of lumber and other forest products it is recognized that special efforts are needed to help meet woods labor requirements," said A. McNamee, Deputy Minister of Labour in a special appeal issued to all operators in the woods industry.

Labour Department officials are staging a Dominion-wide campaign to obtain additional volunteers for lumber camps and concerted attempts are being made to obtain any man who can be spared for this all important industry. In his directive Mr. McNamee suggests that individual operators keep in close touch with their local employment offices. "By keeping these offices fully informed of your needs, they will be in a position to render service to you either in recruiting workers available locally or in other office areas," he stated. Farmers who can be spared from agriculture as soon as harvesting is completed, might be another source from which recruits for the lumber industry might be obtained.

October Days

No brum that I might wield could paint.
The beauty of October days,
Nor words describe, how in sunlight
The wide-flung prairie lays.
Some soft snow in hollows shies,
And, on the mountains; distance-
voled,
Remnants of a storm that passed
When the warm chinook prevailed.
The sky is washed a pale clear blue
White, fleecy clouds are misty-pale,
And hills that rise from prairie-
land
Lie brown-marked with a coulee
trail.
Black fallow's dull, and stubble
gleams
Where the harvest-course has run.

And glory-gold, in poplar groves,
Shimmers in October sun.
Mile on mile the prairie stretches,
Grove, field and home, to far sky-
line,
Brown and green, and gold and
blue
The colours of prairie harvest-time.
Homes and barns in perfect set-
tings,
Where feed-stacks stand for winter
days,

And sleepy stock lie, time-forget-
ting
Where warm October sunlight
plays.
Small towns, spaced, and far away
Linked by a long, low train,
That sets a smoke-pall low, to lay,
And drift-and vanish on the plain.
No wonder that we love this land,
That it holds our hearts so well,
The sleepy sun of October days
Spins a glamorous prairie spell.

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